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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

FLOATING SUPPORT STRUCTURE FOR CD CHANGER

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18 pages of Specification/Claims 1-8/Abstract are attached.

Formal drawings (Figs). 1-20; 20 sheets) are attached.

Priority of <u>Japanese</u> Application Number <u>2002-229926</u> filed <u>August 7, 2002</u> is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 1 reference.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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BASIC FEE			
TOTAL CLAIMS	8 - 20	= 0	
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3	= 0	
☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			

SMALL ENTITY				
RATE	FEE	<u>OR</u>		
	\$ 375	<u>OR</u>		
x 9 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
x 42 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
+140 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
TOTAL	\$	<u>OR</u>		

LARGE ENTITY					
2	RATE	FEE			
2	do .	\$ 750			
<u>!</u>	x 18	\$ 0	_		
2	x 84	\$ 0			
2	+280	\$ 0			
2	TOTAL	\$ 750			

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